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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Applicant acknowledges that he received an *Office Action* dated November 18, 2002, concerning the application for patent cited above. Due to an unavoidable delay, however, Applicant was inadvertently rendered incapable of responding to the *Office Action* until a *Notice of Abandonment* was received on June 30, 2003, which brought this matter to his attention. For that reason, this *Response and Amendment* is accompanied by a *Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned Unavoidably Under 37 CFR 1.137(a)* and a *Petition For A Five-Month Extension Of Time*, along with the required fees.

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According to the *Office Action*, the application is deficient in only one respect:

(1) Claims 17-37 stand rejected as being anticipated, under 35 U.S.C. §102(e), by the teachings disclosed in U.S. Patent 6,323,648 to *Belt et al* (the "'648 patent").

In response, Applicant herein cancels without prejudice claims 17-37, and adds new claims 38-71. No new matter has been added to the application by this *Response and Amendment*.